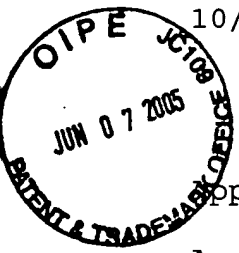


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RESPONSE TO SECOND OFFICE ACTION

Dear Sir:

This paper is responsive to the Office Action mailed from the Patent and Trademark Office on February 4, 2005, which has a shortened statutory period set to expire May 4, 2005. A petition for a one-month extension is submitted herewith, thereby extending the period of response to June 4, 2005.

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